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PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT OF THE WATER QUALITY OF LAKES AND  
ESTUARIES (MATVEYEV AND GORSTKO VISIT)

1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING LETTER DATED JULY 18 TO  
ZENIN WITH A COPY TO KAZAKOV OF HYDROMET.

2. "02.02-12 JULY 18, 1977

DR. A. A. ZENIN  
DIRECTOR  
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DEAR DR. ZENIN:

ON BEHALF OF MY COLLEAGUES AND MYSELF, I WOULD LIKE TO  
THANK YOU FOR THE GRACIOUS HOSPITALITY YOU EXTENDED TO US  
DURING OUR RECENT VISIT TO ROSTOV NA DONU. DURING THE SHORT

TIME WE SPENT THERE, I FEEL THAT WE ACCOMPLISHED A GOOD DEAL OF WORK, YET WE WERE ALSO ABLE TO ENJOY THE VARIOUS CULTURAL ACTIVITIES WHICH YOU PLANNED. WE HAVE ALL FINALLY SETTLED

BACK TO WORK AFTER OUR JOURNEY, AND ARE NOW EAGERLY AWAITING THE ARRIVAL OF DRS. A. A. MATVEYEV AND A. B. GORSTKO SO THAT WE MAY CONTINUE OUR JOINT WORK ON THE VERIFICATION OF THE POLLUTANT TRANSPORT MODELS.

JOHN PAUL AND BILL RICHARDSON ARE WORKING WITH THE DATA YOU GAVE THEM. WORK ON THE BAIKAL DATA IS PROGRESSING SMOOTHLY. HOWEVER, BEFORE THEY CAN BEGIN WORK ON A MODEL FOR THE AZOV SEA, THEY NEED TO KNOW THE DEPTHS AT EACH GRID LOCATION ON THE FINE GRID LINE MAP OF THE AZOV SEA WHICH DR. GORSTKO GAVE THEM. THEY WILL ALSO NEED CURRENT AND SALINITY DISTRIBUTIONS AT THE KERCH STRAITS BETWEEN THE AZOV AND BLACK SEAS. DR. GORSTKO GAVE THEM CONDITIONS FOR THREE CASES BUT DID NOT INCLUDE THE STRAITS. IF POSSIBLE, WE WOULD LIKE YOU TO FORWARD THIS DATA TO ELAINE FITZBACK THROUGH DR. L. M. FILIPPOVA OF HYDROMET, WHO WILL BE VISITING THE UNITED STATES BEGINNING AUGUST 9 UNDER PROJECT 02.07-21. IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT WE HAVE THESE DATA BEFORE DR. MATVEYEV'S VISIT.

AS WE DISCUSSED IN KHARKOV, WE WOULD LIKE TO PROPOSE THE DATES OF SEPTEMBER 25 THROUGH OCTOBER 16 FOR THE VISIT  
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OF DRS. MATVEYEV AND GORSTKO. OUR PROPOSED ITINERARY IS AS FOLLOWS:

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25: ARRIVAL--NEW YORK (WITH TWO SPECIALISTS UNDER PROJECT 02.02-13)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26: CULTURAL PROGRAM; DEPARTURE FOR GROSSE ILE, MICHIGAN

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27: MEETING WITH LARGE LAKE RESEARCH STATION STAFF TO DISCUSS DATA

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28: MEETINGS; DR. MATVEYEV AND 02.02-13 SPECIALISTS DEPART FOR DULUTH, MINNESOTA, TO VISIT ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH LAB

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29: GORSTKO--PRELIMINARY COMPUTER RUNS; MATVEYEV--VISIT REMOTE SENSING LAB IN DULUTH

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30: MATVEYEV RETURNS TO GROSSE ILE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1: GROSSE ILE--CULTURAL PROGRAM

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2: MEETINGS WITH T. DAVIES; DEPARTURE FOR  
ESTUARIES MEETINGS AT POKANO, PENNSYLVANIA

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3-4: ESTUARIES MEETING

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5: DEPARTURE FOR GULF BREEZE, FLORIDA;  
JOIN WITH SOVIET SPECIALISTS PROJECT 02.02-13

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6: TOUR OF GULF BREEZE ENVIRONMENTAL  
RESEARCH LAB

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7: MEETINGS WITH LABORATORY STAFF

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8: MEETINGS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9: CULTURAL PROGRAM

MONDAY, OCTOBER 10: RETURN TO GROSSE ILE

TUESDAY-FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11-14: WORK AT GROSSE ILE LAB

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15: CULTURAL PROGRAM; DEPART FOR NEW  
YORK

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16: DEPARTURE FOR USSR

PLEASE INFORM US BY AUGUST 1 IF THESE DATES AND THIS  
PROGRAM ARE SUITABLE, AND IF YOU WILL BE ABLE TO FORWARD  
THE REQUESTED DATA VIA DR. FILIPPOVA.

SINCERELY,

TUDOR DAVIES  
PROJECT CHAIRMAN, 02.02-13

CC: YU. KAZAKOV, HYDROMET" VANCE

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